



The August 2018 Clark

First Clark of the 52nd Ziu

1. Results of the May 2018 Clark

The following bills received Royal Assent and have been passed into law:

51RZ17 – The Bar Reformation Act

Introduced by Viteu Marcianüs (Attorney-General)

Agreed to by the Cosä 149-0, by the Senäts 5-3

51RZ18 – The Commas Matter Act (Bar Refor. Secondary Legislation)

Introduced by Viteu Marcianüs (MC-FreeDems)

Agreed to by the Cosä 135-0, by the Senäts 5-3

The Cosä passed a Vote of Confidence in the Government 131-18 .

Members of the Cosä voted as follows:

Name	Party	Seats	RZ 17	RZ 18	VoC
Miesträ Schivä	FreeDems	16	Per	Per	Üc
Viteu Marcianüs	FreeDems	16	Per	Per	Üc
Dien Tresplet	FreeDems	16	Per	Per	Üc
Alexandreu Soleighlfred	MRPT	16	Per	Per	Üc
Ben Putnam	MRPT	16	Per	Per	Üc
Erschéveþ da Schir	MRPT	17	Per	Per	Üc
Txoteu Davinescu	MRPT	17	Per	Per	Üc
Iac Marscheir	MRPT	17	Per	Per	Üc
Mximo Carbonel	REP	4	Per	Per	Non
Litz Cjantscheir	RUMP	14	Did not vote		
Eovart Xhorxh	RUMP	14	Per	Non	
			149-0	135-0	131-18

Senators voted as follows:

Name	Province	RZ17	RZ18
Sevastáin Pinátsch	Atatürk	Per	Per
Lüc da Schir	Belacostä	Per	Per
Glüc da Dhi	Cézembre	Per	Per
Ma la Mha	Florenciä	Con	Con
Gödafríeu Válcadác'h	Fiovä	Per	Per
Cresti Siervicül	Maricopa	Con	Con
Ian Plätschisch	Maritiimi-Maxhestic	Per	Per
Troxä Betiñéir	Vuode	Con	Con
		5-3	5-3

2. This Month's Business

The First Clark of the 52nd Ziu runs from August 1st to 21st 2018/XXXIX.
Voting on the Clark is open until the 21st of August at 7:30 PM Talossan time.

The following bills have been presented for consideration:

52RZ01 – The [REDACTED] Act

Introduced by Sir Ian Plätschisch (Senator-MM)

52RZ02 – The Birds of a Feather Flock Together Act

Introduced by Sir Ian Plätschisch (Senator-MM)

52RZ03 – Yet Another Error Correction Act

Introduced by Sir Ian Plätschisch (Senator-MM)

The full text of these bills is available in the appendix.

The following motion is to be voted on by the Cosă only:

Vote of Confidence

Do you wish the current Government to continue in its term of office?

3. Judicial Decisions

Pursuant to Lex.G.12.1, the Chancery announces that no decisions were rendered by any national court since the publication of the last Clark.

4. Prime Dictates

Pursuant to Lex.H.2.7.1, the Chancery announces that no Prime Dictates were issued since the publication of the last Clark.

*Ordered printed today, August 1st 2018/XLVI
The Secretary of State / El Secretar d'Estat
Sir Glüc da Dhi*

A. Full text of all bills on the Clark

52RZ01 - The [REDACTED] Act

WHEREAS Very few people are technically allowed to submit bills to the Hopper right now, and

WHEREAS I can because the MM Senatorial election is not conducted by the Chancery, so I do not have to wait around for the EC to finish, and

WHEREAS I figured I might as well give people something to look at while they wait, and

WHEREAS Immigration law mandates that the Interior Minister collect the address of all applicants, and

WHEREAS During my tenure as Interior Minister, there have been multiple times when someone under the age of 18 could not apply because they could not share their address, and

WHEREAS That is a bummer, and

WHEREAS We don't really *need* the addresses of applicants as long as we know which province we should put them in

THEREFORE Lex.E.2, which currently reads:

2. The Minister of Interior shall ascertain to his own satisfaction, through correspondence or conversation, that the prospective immigrant is a real human being with genuine interest in becoming a citizen of the Kingdom of Talossa. The Minister shall be free to inquire of the applicant on any and every subject, and shall be required to collect the name, postal address, telephone number, and e-mail address(es) of the candidate, which information the Minister shall communicate to the Secretary of State. Additionally, the Interior Minister shall be required to collect an essay, written by the applicant, entitled "Why I am Interested in Becoming a Talossan."

shall be amended to read:

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Uréu q'estadra sã,
Sir Ian Plätschisch (Senator-MM)

52RZ02 - The Birds of a Feather Flock Together Act

WHEREAS Talossa is more fun, real, and active when Talossans can interact offline, and

WHEREAS This is especially true for provinces, since not much happens on provincial Witt boards, and

WHEREAS This is generally why it is a good idea to have geographically contiguous catchment areas, and

WHEREAS Putting people in the same province physically closer together is not the only way to make them more likely to have offline interactions, and

WHEREAS This is because some people have personal connections that predate their Talossanity, and

WHEREAS It then makes sense to put those people in the same province

THEREFORE Lex.E.7.2.1, which currently reads:

7.1.2. Citizens living outside the boundaries of Talossa shall be assigned to a province corresponding to a geographic zone. The entire globe shall be divided into eight geographic zones so that anyone living anywhere outside Talossa is automatically assigned to the corresponding Talossan province.

shall be amended to read:

7.1.2. Citizens living outside the boundaries of Talossa shall be assigned to a province corresponding to a geographic zone. The entire globe shall be divided into eight geographic zones so that anyone living anywhere outside Talossa is automatically assigned to the corresponding Talossan province, subject to E.7.1.2.1

7.1.2.1 At any time before a Grant of Citizenship is issued to an applicant, a current Talossan citizen who is an acquaintance of the applicant may petition the Secretary of State to assign the applicant to his province when the Grant is issued. If the Secretary of State determines to his satisfaction that the applicant and the petitioner are acquaintances, he shall accept the petition. If the Secretary of State denies the petition, he must issue a statement explaining his reasoning, and this decision may be challenged in Cort by the petitioner.

7.1.2.1.1 In the case that multiple petitions are issued by petitioners from different provinces, the Secretary of State may only accept the petition of the applicant's choosing.

7.1.2.1.2 The Secretary of State shall not accept any such petition unless and until he has confirmed that the applicant would like to be assigned to the petitioner's province. An applicant's desire to be assigned to a province based on catchment area overrides any and all such petitions.

Noi urent q'estadra sã,

Sir Ian Plätschisch (Senator-MM)

Sir Lüc da Schir (Senator-BE)

52RZ03 - Yet Another Error Correction Act

WHEREAS "Closed provinces" are no longer a thing, but I found a statute that still references them, and

WHEREAS There is no point in writing any more **WHEREAS** clauses since the error just needs to be fixed

THEREFORE Lex.E.13.2, which currently reads:13.2. Any minor child or ward of a Talossan citizen shall be made a citizen on simple application of the Talossan parent or guardian. Such application shall be made to the Secretary of State and shall affirm that any non-Talossan parent or legal guardian of the minor child (according to and under any jurisdiction of the world) accedes to said citizenship. The said minor child shall be made a citizen of the province to which the parent making the described application clings, regardless of the closure status of the province. Said child shall be forever entitled to be known as a Dandelion, and specifically as a Broad-Leaf Dandelion, and shall on reaching the age of 14 years become a voting citizen according to the terms of Article XVIII, Section 7 of the Organic Law.

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Sir Ian Plätschisch (Senator-MM)